E. T. Forsyth, A. P. Hines, H. H. Armstrong, A. H. Somerville, E. E. Parker, J. Q. Davis, Ira Shrader and Lon S. Roberts, of Butler University. President Ehrman announced the following committees; On credentials, A. N. Fox; on time and place for next convention, R. L. Harris and H. C. Laudenback; on chapters and charters, H. St. C. Hathaway, D. K. Dunton and J. Cooper; on banquet, G. A. Varney, W. W. Lowrey and W. D. Howe; on photographs, F. F. Hummel; on nominations, D. K. Dunton, H. F. Doolittle, R. L. Harris and J. A. Harlor; on finance, A. N. Fox; on press, F. F.

At the afternoon session the reports from the chapters were read, and reports from a number of the committees were adopted. The true spirit of the fraternity was clearly manifested in the election of officers for the coming year. Wire pulling was conspicuous by its absence, and with scarcely a dissenting voice the following officers were elected: President, R. L. Harris, Kenyon; secretary, A. N. Fox, Butler; treasurer, W. W. Wood, Hillsdale. Many questions of importance to the fraternity were brought up and discussed.

The Banpuet Last Night. The Phi Delta Theta fraternity gave a banquet last night at the Denison. It was the largest banquet ever given by that fraternity, 120 plates being laid. Judge Woods was toast master, and toasts were responded as follows: "What are we here for?" J. Clarke Moore, Pennsylvania; "The Girls," Frank D. Swope, Hanover; "The Boys," Robert Morrison," Miami: "The Convention," Walter B. Palmer, Vander-bilt; "Our Friends, the Enemy," E. L. Whit-ney, Ohio Wesleyan; "The Old Settler's Story," George Banta, Indiana. Robert Morrison told zome interesting reminiscences of the early days of the fra-ternity. He also read a letter from Judge Banta, who sent his regrets. To-night, after witnessing the naturalgas display at the Capitol grounds by the Indianapolis Natural Gas Company, the delegates will attend the interstate oratori-

## FOUR HUNDRED SLAIN

And 1,500 Wounded in Three Battles in San Salvador.

Rebels Terribly Punished by the Government Forces-Austrian Rioters Shot to Death by Gendarmes.

SAN SALVADOR, May 9 .- The government has triumphed in three great battles at La Aldar, Las Cruicitas and El Conacaste. The rebels concentrated in the city of Santa Ana, where the seat of the insurrection is located. In the three battles the rebels had four hundred killed and fifteen hundred wounded. General Gutierrez, the chief of the revolutionists, is severely wounded. The rebel city is being bombarded from the mountain named Malakoff with artillery of the Gruesenwark make. It is very effective. The rebel city is in a state of panic and the insurrectionists are disbanding.

Rosebery Doesn't Fear Defeat. LONDON, May 9 .- At a political reception at the National Liberal Club this evening Lord Rosebery commented upon the fact that the daily press had declared that the government was in a critical condition, and said that all governments were always in a critical condition. He failed to understand what any party having home rule at heart would gain by a deliberate attempt to upset the government. If the government had only a majority of two it would persevere and fight to the end the battle

t had undertaken Sir William Harcourt, in a humorous speech, said he was glad to assure his friends that he was neither dead nor dying. He was not aware of even being He had no intention to desert the Liberal party. The government had a stiff fight to deal with and the burden fell upon himself. He had met "John Barleycorn," and he could not say whether Barleycorn would prevail. But if the government was destroyed on the budget the principles on which the budget was founded would not

Nine Rioters Killed. TROPPAU, Austrian Silesia, May 9.-Striking miners made a desperate attack to-day upon a detachment of gendarmes who were guarding a colliery in Polish Ostrau, with the object of driving the men who were at work away from the colliery. The gendarmes opened fire upon the rioters killing nine of them and wounding twenty The mob then fled in all directions threatening, however, to return in large

numbers and avenge the death of their contrades. The gendarmes are being reinforced and no further trouble is anticipated at that particular point. Nihilist Conspiracy. LONDON, May 9.-The Exchange Telegraph Company has received advices from St. Petersburg saying that the Russian police have discovered a vast Nihilist conspiracy. It is added that one hundred people have already been arrested in connec tion with the plot.

Cable Notes. The United States cruiser Chicago, Captain Mahan, has arrived at Gravesend. The girl wife of Francisco Politi, the Italian Anarchist who was recently sentenced at London to ten years' imprisonment, after having been convicted of being in the unlawful possession of explosives, died in an infirmary yesterday from the effects of maternity.

The suit for slander brought at London y Mr. Robert Household, auditor of the Grand Trunk Railroad, of Canada, against Lord Claud Hamilton, one of the directors, resulted in a verdict of one farthing damages for the plaintiff.

French experts have testified that the Lebaudy drafts which were supposed to have been forged by Count Elie De Talleyrand-Periogod, were not forgeries, and that they bore Max Lebaudy's own signature. A supposed Anarchist outrage, resulting in the loss of life, was committed at Al-giers, yesterday. A hotel owned by a man named Torti was blown up, one person was killed and three people were injured by the explosion. Torti, the landlord, re-cently testified against some Anarchists who were on trial at Toulon.

Charged with Burglary.

PEORIA, Ill., May 9.—There was a great sensation here to-day when it was learned that Julius Schwabacher, son of Henry Schwabacher, the wealthy distiller, had been arrested at an early hour in the act of burgiarizing the house of one of his neighbors. The only explanation of the matter is that the young man had been gambling and was afraid to tell his father of his losses. It has been reported that he lost 3900 and all his jewelry in a game at Toluca last week. Young Schwabacher denied the crime, claiming that he had gotten into the house by mistake.

In Favor of Woman Suffrage. ALBION, N. Y., May 9.—The canvass of Orleans county in behalf of woman suffrage shows there are 1,310 women on the tax rolls who pay taxes on an assessed valuation of \$2,529,431. There were 18,955 votes cast in this county in the last election, and the petition in favor of woman suffrage contains the names of 5,848 persons over twenty-one years of age.

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Necksof Parker and McAfee Saved by One Stubborn Juror.

Franklin Jury Stood Eleven to One for Twenty-Two Hours Against Druggist Eyster's Murderers.

DEATH PENALTY EXPECTED

And the Town Citizens Openly Criticise the Verdict.

Brotherhood of Firemen's Executive Board in Session at Terre Haute-Church Missionary Societies.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FRANKLIN, Ind., May 9 .- "Imprisonment for life" is the verdict of the jury in the second trial of John Parker and Edward McAfee for the murder of Charles Eyster. This decision was reached at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, when nearly every one had decided that the jury would finally disagree. At 9 o'clock this morning the jury was asked by Judge Johnson if there was any possibility of soon reaching a verdict. The foreman replied that there was not at that time, and they were returned to the jury room. Many took this as being favorable to the defendants, although it was not known on what point the jury was hanging. With the tolling of the courthouse bell this afternoon the court room filled almost instantly with people from all directions, who flocked to hear the decision of the jury. Parker and McAfee were brought in handcuffed together, as usual, and occupied their customary seats. There was an air of indifference about them and but little apparent dread of the announcement of the verdict. The jury filed slowly in, and in response to a query from Judge Johnson foreman Ditmars announced that the jury had reached a verdict and handed the paper to Clerk Byfield, who, in a clear voice, read the decision, as

"We, the jury, find the defendants guilty of murder in the first degree and affix punishment at imprisonment for life. At the request of Mr. Kealing, for the de-fense, the jury was polled. Each man re-sponded that this was his verdict and that was still content with that decision. Turning to the negroes the court asked:
"Gentlemen, is there any reason why
judgment should not be rendered on the

Mr. Kealing stated that no action had yet been decided on by the attorneys for defendants. The jury was then discharged, having served nineteen days in all, counting night sessions. Sentence on the prisoners was deferred until the first of next week. No motion was made for a

Edward McAfee stated after the adjournment of court that when the case comes will make a statement to the court. What that statement will be he did not say, nor did he give any hint. The feeling in Franklin is largely that the defendants were lucky. In fact, the sentiment is very strong that the jury should have pronounced the death penalty, and their action is much criticised. The first ballot taken by the jury after its retirement last evening was on the guilt of the accused, and every juror voted them guilty of murder in the first degree. On the first ballot taken to affix the punishment eight stood for the death penalty and four for life imprisonment. On the second ballot nine were for the death penalty, and on the third ten were for it. On the fourth ballot only one juror stood for life imprisonment -E. P. Lowe. They remained thus until this morning, Lowe refusing to change his position. Finally, in order that a ver-dict might be reached, all agreed on the life sentence. Mrs. Eyster expressed herself as very well pleased with the verdict.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

North Indiana Methodist Missionaries at Marion.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION, Ind., May 9 .- One hundred delegates from the different cities of the north Indiana district are holding their annual conference here to-day and to-morrow in the interest of the Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The work to-day included the reports from the treasurer, corresponding and district secretaries and the appointment of the various committees. The report of the treas-urer showed a remarkable increase in the receipts during the past year. The conference officers are: President, Mrs. F. G. Browne, Huntington; vice presidents, Mrs. J. P. Tinkham, Fort Wayne; Mrs. W. E. Driscoll, Muncie; Mrs. C. N. Murray, New Paris, and Mrs. L. A. Williams, of New Castle; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary Stabler, of Greenfield; recording secretary, Mrs. B. A. Kemp, of Mishawaka; treas-urer, Mrs. L. H. Bunyan, of Richmond.

United Presbyterian Missionaries.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. PRINCETON, Ind., May 9 .- The annual meeting of the Women's General Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian Church of North America convened in this city last night for a four days' session. Over three hundred women from all parts of the United States are present, the following States being represented: Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, New York, Ohio, Indiana, New Jersey, North Carolina, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, California, Michigan and Illinois. Foreign-Egypt and India. Treasurer's report shows \$15,745.14 on hand April 16, 1894.

Congregationalists at Fort Wayne.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FORT WAYNE, Ind., May 9 .- The thirtysixth annual meeting of the General Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers of Indiana is now in session at the Plymouth Church in this city. One hundred delegates are here, among the notables being Revs. W. F. McMullen and A. N. Hitchcock, of Chicago, and F. E. Dewhurst and Dr. Hyde, of Indianapolis. Rev. John R. Wilson, of Indianapolis, was chosen moderator. The session will last all week.

EXECUTIVE BOARD IN SESSION. Chief Sargent's Case will be Consid-

ered To-Day at Terre Haute. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 9 .- The grand executive board and the board of trustees of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen is in session in this city. To-day's session was devoted to a consideration of existing affairs on the Ann Arbor and Lehigh Valley roads, on both of which the brotherhood has many men out of work on account of the strike in which they lost their positions. The question of continuing the pay allowed them by the order is being considered. Chief Sargent's action in refusing to order a strike of the firemen on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad will be considered to-morrow.

Northern Indiana Musical Tourney.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. VALPARAISO, Ind., May 9.-C. D. Hess. the ex-opera manager, is in the city to-day, completing arrangements for holding the second northern Indiana musical festival. which will be given in the new college audi-

torium in this city, June 21, 22 and 23. Mr. Hess has visited many Indiana cities, in several of which the work of organization has already begun. Large prizes will be given for competition in vocal, instrumental, orchestral and band music, and all the prominent musicians of northern Indiana

Forming a Window-Glass Trust. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., May 9.-The Indiana Window-glass Manufacturers' Association held an interesting meeting in Muncie last evening, and adjourned to meet in Muncie on next Wednesday. The prime question before the meeting was the idea for all Indiana manufacturers to place the product of their factory in the hands of one agent for disposal. By that means one price can be secured. The matter will be settled at the

Cars Kill an Octogenarian, Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WABASH, Ind., May 9 .- At 9 o'clock this Morning George G. Murphy, aged eightysix, and grandfather of Deputy Postmaster Horace Murphy, of this city, was instantly killed, being run down by a Panhandle freight train at Converse, where he resided. Mr. Murphy was endeavoring to cross the track in advance of the locomotive, and was struck and hurled some distance. tance. Deceased was a pioneer of northern

Rockport to Have a Monument. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ROCKPORT, Ind., May 9.-Spencer Relief Corps, No. 102, of this city, has decided to erect a monument in the courthouse yard in memory of the soldiers of Spencer county who participated in the war of the late rebellion. Part of the money has already been raised. Committees have been selected from the Relief Corps and G. A. R. to solicit funds for the project. The monument will be erected some time next fall.

For the Interstate Shoot.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELWOOD, Ind., May 9.-The Elwood Gun Club is erecting a commodious clubhouse on their grounds near this city and making great preparations for the coming interstate shooting tourney, to be held June 27, 28 and 29. All the leading experts in the country will be present, including such shots as Fulford, Elliott, Beck and Young.

Captured Robbers on the River. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

VINCENNES, Ind., May 9.-Burglars robbed the home of Harry H. Bowman, of Emison, yesterday evening. The thieves escaped in a boat down the river. Bow-man and a friend followed, and a running fight on water occurred with shotguns. The thieves were captured at St. Francis-

Suicide with Chloroform.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELKHART, Ind., May 9 .- Joseph Upson, aged fifty-five, of this city, was found dead in his room at Hotel Westbrook at 10 o'clock this morning. Death had resulted from chloroform taken with suicidal in-He was a member of the Seventyfourth Indiana Regiment.

Robbers Load Up with Fire Arms. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. EDINBURG, Ind., May 9.-Thomas Stine's gun shop was broken into last night and the following property stolen: Four Parker hammerless shotguns, of the \$75 grade; four hammer shotguns, of the \$20 grade, and one repeating rifle, valued at \$16. Also \$2 in

Bamfield-Schlater.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RICHMOND, Ind., May 9 .- Dr. John H Bamfield, an examining surgeon of the Pennsylvania railroad, stationed at Fort Wayne, and Miss Anna Mae Schlater, of this city, were united in marriage to-night by Rev. J. E. Cathell. They will reside at Fort Wayne.

Lawyer J. J. Hilton Paralyzed. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARTINSVILLE, Ind., March 9 .- Jarvis Hilton, a prominent attorney, was stricken with paralysis at noon and is not expected to live. Mr. Hilton is a member of the I. O. O. F., being noble grand of the order here at present.

Boys Strike at a Flint-Glass Works. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., May 9 .- The Muncie Flint Glass Company is again in trouble and the factory is closed. This time there is a strike among the carry-out boys, who quit work yesterday, demanding \$4 per week each. They now receive \$3.60.

Implement Dealers Fail. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

VINCENNES, Ind., May 9 .- The firm of C. H. DeBolt & Co., dealers in hardware and agricultural implements, went into the hands of a receiver to-day. Liabilities, \$15,000; assets, \$10,000. DeBolt is auditor of Knox county.

Indiana Notes.

Isaac Miesse, a Greeneastle grocer, made voluntary assignment yesterday for the benefit of his creditors. The amount involved is about \$700, and James F. Denny is named as assignee.

A. L. Harper, an experienced newspaper man of Anderson, has about closed a deal for the purchase of the Elwood daily and weekly Press. The Press is now owned by Van Arsdal & Snively.

Prof. J. S. Tomlin, of Rockport, Ind. has been elected superintendent of the Shelbyville public schools for the next year. The present incumbent, Prof. J. C. Eagle, was not an applicant for re-election. The State meeting of the Eastern Indiana Dental Association has been called for Elwood on May 23. Dr. D. C. Harrold. of Elwood, the president of the association, is preparing an interesting programme for

The annual catalogue of Hanover College for 1893-4 is just issued. It comprises fifty-six pages, and presents the most complete and comprehensive exhibit of the institution's objects, equipment and achievements ever before attempted. The front- takes were finally made, the pardoning piece is a handsome reproduction of views at Hanover College.

Must Accept Prepaid Mail Matter. WASHINGTON, May 9.-The Postoffice Department has sent to all railway service employes circulars calling attention to the postal regulation requiring postal clerks to accept all prepaid mail matter offered them at their cars, and to forward it to its destination. Inquiries have been received at the department from almost every section of the country indicating a general misunderstanding, due, it is stated, to the publication of a number of articles incorrectly intimating that the section of the regulations making the obligation has been repealed. The rule is declared to be still in force, and refusal to comply will render clerks liable to dismissal unless special authority is given.

Guano Island in Dispute. SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.-What is said to be an attempt to capture an island has been brought to light by a suit instituted in the Supreme Court by the Ocean Phosphate Company. The latter claims that F. W. Permien and William Johnson are organizing an expedition to go to Clipperton island and selze the same by force of arms under the apparent authority or a prior claim. The island in question is little more than a big rock in the northern Pacific, but it is covered by a rich guano deposit, which makes it very valuable.

There is said to be 50,000 tons in sight.

which is estimated to be worth \$12.50 a ton.

The phosphate company claims to own the

Movements of Steamers. ISLE OF WIGHT, May 9 .- Passed: Massachusetts, from New York. PHILADELPHIA, May 9 .- Arrived: Indiana, from Liverpool. GLASGOW, May 9 .- Arrived: Anchoria, from New York. HAMBURG, May 9 .- Arrived: Rhaetia, from New York.

LIVERPOOL, May 9.-Arrived: Teutonic. from New York. NEW YORK, May 9 .- Arrived: Spree, from Bremen. LIVERPOOL, May 9 .- Arrived: Catalonia, from Boston.

Mrs. Lease III. KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 9 .- Mrs. Mary E. Lease is ill at the home of a friend here suffering from nervous prostration. She is in a serious condition, and there are strong symptoms of typhoid fever. At midnight a physician was summoned in haste to attend her. She was delirious and suffering acutely. She is in a state of extreme terror over the receipt of the letter from a Minnesota crank tening of

"Kid" Prize Fighters.

his divine mission to kill her.

CHICAGO, May 9.-Two ten-year-old prize fighters, with their fathers as seconds, were arrested to-day for engaging in a flerce ring battle. The boys, James Ketley and John Dewey, fought fourteen hot rounds in a grove at Vincennes avenue and Eighty-second street before a good-sized crowd last night. They were seconded and urged on by their fathers. The principals and their paternal seconds were heavily

General Coxey Notified that He Is Maintaining a Nuisance,

And Given Forty-Eight Hours by the District of Columbia Commissioners to Change the Quarters of His Army.

CONGRESS TO INVESTIGATE

The Commonweal Leader Granted a Hearing by Mr. McGann,

Whose Committee Afterward Decides to Ask the House for Permission to Hold a General Inquiry-Senate Debate.

WASHINGTON, May 9.-The District Commissioners have decided that Coxey is maintaining a nuisance by keeping his men in their present camp, and have given mini forty-eight hours to abate the nuisance. Their action was taken on the advice of S T. Thomas, attorney for the District, and was the result of a conference between the Commissioners, Health Officer Hammett and Chief of Police Moore to-day. The advisability of applying to the courts for an injunction against Coxey was considered, but the attorney reported that such proceeding was unnecessary, as he could be prosecuted in the Police Court for violating the health ordinances. The forty-eight hours' notice dates from 2 o'clock p. m. It is not likely that Coxey can comply with the law, except by moving his camp from the square. He expressed his intention to move when the notice was served, and hinted that he might secure an abandoned baseball park near the Capitol, known as Capitol Park, where Congress could have oversight of the army. Coxey expressed surprise at the orders, and said that he mark out ditches for sewers in the old

To Be Prosecuted for Abduction. MASSILLON, O., May 9 .- The divorced wife of Coxey, who is ill here, yesterday summoned an attorney and instructed him to begin suit against Coxey and Carl Browne for abducting her daughter Mamie, who appeared as the "Angel of Peace" in the Washington parade of the commonweal.

DEBATE IN THE SENATE. Mr. Sherman Replies to Mr. Allen's

Speech on Coxey. WASHINGTON, May 9 .- Jacob S. Coxey, "general" of the commonweal, and his two lieutenants, Carl Browne and Christopher Columbus Jones, who were convicted in the Police Court yesterday, were in the lobby in the rear of the Senate when that body met to-day, anticipating a further airing of their cases in connection with the Allen resolution to investigate the alleged police clubbing on the Capitol steps on May 1. At the conclusion of the morning business Mr. Allen called up his resolution for the appointment of a special committee to investigate the police interference with the demonstration on the Capitol steps on May 1. Mr. Allen spoke with feeling. He had waited a week after the outrage before introducing his resolution, he sald, expecting that one of the Senators from Ohio, the State from which Mr. Coxey came, would take some steps towards its investigation. Mr. Coxey came from the congressional district formerly represented by Governor Mc-Kinley. In his opinion such scenes as took place in the presence of ten thousand people on May 1 on the plaza in front of the Capitol should be investigated without de-

lay. Mr. Allen proceeded in his protest against the treatment to which the com-monweal army had been subjected in Wash-"Are you not Mr. Coxey's counsel?" asked Mr. Daniel, interrupting the Nebraska Sen-

"No, sir," replied Mr. Allen, emphatically, "Has not Mr. Coxey full legal remedy if he has been injured in his rights?" "I decline to be diverted from my line of thought," said Mr. Allen, rather sharply. "But," persisted Mr. Daniel, "I simply desired to question the propriety of dragging this matter into the Senate when Coxey has remedy in court.' Mr. Allen made no response to Mr. Danlel's suggestion, but he took occasion to re-iterate his denial of sympathy with the

movement. All reports to the contrary were untrue. He had been called in consultation by Representatives Hudson and Pence upon the rights of Coxey. He had subsequently gone into Police Court to defend him. When Mr. Allen sat down the venerable senior Senator, Mr. Sherman, arose to re-ply. The Senator from Nebraska, he said, wanted the Senate of the United States to review a case that had been tried in the Police Court before a jury of twelve honest men, a case in which the defendants had had the benefit of the services of the distinguished Senator from Nebraska. Should the business of the country be suspended to review a case that could be carried to the higher courts, where, if any mispower of the President could be invoked as a last resort? When this Coxey movement was first started a prominent citizen of Ohio had come to him and had asked it he would present Mr. Coxey's good roads petition. He had replied that he would. Moreover, he had told this gentleman that if Mr. Coxey desired his bills introduced he would introduce them, although he had not a particle of sympathy with them. His reply had been carried to Mr. Coxey, and the latter had sent back word thanking him, but saying that he did not care to have him (Sherman) present them. When Mr. Sherman finished the tariff bill was laid before the Senate. The Coxey resolution went over until to-morrow, when, according to the motion served, Senator Teller and others will ask to be heard upon it.

GRANTED A HEARING.

Coxey Before the House Committee on Labor. WASHINGTON, May 9.-There was an unusually large attendance of members of the House committee on labor at its meeting to-day, drawn largely by the expectation that "General" Coxey would be in attendance to speak on Representative Mc-Gann's resolution for the appointment of a joint committee of the Senate and House to investigate the cause of the prevailing industrial depression. The General was early at the Capitol, in company with Col. A. E. Redstone, of Washington, Mr. Coxey presented a petition from the commonweal army that he and Carl Browne be permitted to address the committee in behalf of Coxey's bills for construction of good roads and for the issue of noninterest-bearing bonds. Mr. Coxey supplemented the reading of the petition with a brief statement, and then answered questions put to him by members of the committee. There are, he said, billions of dol-lars' worth of improvements throughout the country to be made and there are millions of men to make them. There is but one thing standing in the way, and that is money. The passage of his two bills would solve the industrial depression and set all men at work. He asked for 99 per cent. of the people the same privileges as are enjoyed by 1 per cent., the national banking class, who alone are represented in Congress. Mr. Ryan pressed Mr. Coxey for proof of this assertion. "Have you any showing to make, any proofs to offer that you rep-

resent 99 per cent. of the people?" asked Mr. "No," said Coxey, after thinking a mo-ment; "I don't claim that," This closed

Coxey's hearing and the General retired. I. E. Dean, a member of the executive committee of the Farmers' Alliance, followed with a recital of the depressed condition of labor. Representative Dunn asked Mr. Dean: 'Do you believe that the American people have reached a stage where they want threats and coercion used against their legislators by these moving bodies?"
"No," said Mr. Dean. "No threats are

"Then," said Mr. Dunn, "what can be accomplished by these steps, equivalent to You have a habit in Congress," said Mr. Dean, "of consigning petitions to pigeon-

intended."

holes and waste baskets. The object of Coxey was to present to you a petition that would be insured a hearing. As the committee was about to go into secret session, Mr. Coxey said: "We have thousands of petitions if we only have a chance to present them."

"We will give you a committee," said Chairman McGann, "to receive them, Messrs. Coxey, Browne and their friends then withdrew to let the committee consider the resolutions. With Coxey and Browne were a group of Populist and Farmers' Alliance leaders, including Marion Butler, president of the National Farmers' Alliance; Chairman Taubeneck and Secretary Turner, of the Peoples' party executive committee; N. D. Dunning, editor of

the Populist organ, and Representatives Pence, Boen and Bell. After the hearing the committee, by a vote of 7 to 2, decided to report a resolution for a joint investigation by a special committee of the Senate and House of the Coxey movement and the depressed condi-tion of labor in general. This decision was hailed with satisfaction by Messrs. Coxey and Browne and by a number of prominent Populist and Farmers' Alliance leaders, including the president of the Alliance and the chairman and secretary of the People's party. The vote to report, the resolution

Was:
Yeas—Erdman of Pennsylvania, Wells of Wisconsin, Ryan of New York and Talbert of South Carolina, Democrats; Pence of Colorado, Populist; Phillips of Pennsylvania, Kiefer of Minnesota, Republicans.
Nays—Dunn, of New Jersey, Democrat; Apsley, of Massachusetts, Republican.
Representatives McGann and McCleary did not vote. The vote of 7 to 2 was preceded, however, by votes to postpone, which nearly killed the resolution. Representative Ryan first moved to postpone until Saturday, which was defeated by 5 to 6. Representative Phillips moved to postpone until Friday, which was defeated by a similar vote. The five who voted to defer action were Dunn, Ryan, Apsley, Phillips and McCleary. After that Messrs. Phillips and Ryan voted to report the resolution and Ryan voted to report the resolution and Mr. McCleary did not vote either way. Chairman McGann says the favorable report will be made to-morrow, and he will soon thereafter press for a suspension of the rules and an immediate passage of the resolution. Mr. Dunn says there will be a minority report.

Representative Ikert, an Ohio Democrat, to-day introduced the following resolution, which was referred to the committee on "Whereas, In view of the fact that American citizens, however misguided in the methods they may employ, are reported as coming to Washington in the belief that by so doing they and others may be thereby benefited; and,

"Whereas. The right of petition is a constitutional right that no one has assailed; therefore, be it "Resolved, That a special committee of five Representatives (to include the chairman of the committee on labor and the chairman of the committee on banking and currency) be appointed to hear the request of the leaders, receive their petitions and e, with such report as p recommendations as they may deem proper, either to the committee on labor or the committee on banking and currency.

Dr Moffett Retracts. The statement of Dr. Moffett before the

Board of Health, on Monday, that he had been instructed by Dr. Hammond to go to Albert Gall to buy carpets for the Dispensary has created quite a rumpus in the board's affairs. Dr. Hammond denied having instructed him in any way concerning the purchase. Yesterday Dr. Moffett gave Dr. Hammond a written statement retracting what he had said before the board. When asked why he had done so Dr. Moffett would give no answer, except that he had retracted the statement and hoped the matter would end there. "Do you mean to admit that what you said to the board is not true?" he was asked.

"No, not exactly that," was the reply "Dr. Hammond said something to me about the matter, but I have now retracted all said and hope the matter will drop there."

A Bridge Disaster Victim. LOUISVILLE, May 9.—The body of James F. Owens, one of the workmen who lost his life in the bridge disaster, was recovered last night. The coroner identified the body as that of Owens by the description given him by the dead man's father a short time after the accident. The remains will be shipped to Huntington, W. Va., the home of the dead man.

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points in Arkansas, Kansas, Ne-Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho, southwest Missouri, points in Montana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana and Tennessee, May 29. Thirty days' time, with stop-over privi-leges. Sleepers and reclining chair cars to nearly all principal points in territory mentioned. For information and maps, address

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BANK STATEMENT.

EPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MI

R ridian National Bank, at Indianapolis, in the State of Indiana, at the close of business, May RESOURCES. Loans and discounts ... Overdrafts, secured and unsecured..... 5,239.12 U. S. bonds to secure circulation (4 per 100,000.00 46,228.03 City and county bonds .. Furniture and fixtures..... Due from national banks Due from State banks and bankers ..... Due from approved re-141,771.37 serve agents. Checks and other cash 5,122,03 items .... Exchanges for clearing-17,595.09 Notes of other national 45,330,00 Fractional paper curren-cy, nickels and cents.... 441.87 Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: 454,532.69

(5 per cent. of circulation)..... 4,500.00 Total......\$1,467,579.26 LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in ... Surprus fund. Undivided profits, less expruses and taxes paid National bank notes on standing..... Due to other national banks\$149,427.47 Due to State banks and 122,865.54 bankers..... Individual deposits subject 554,388.82 Demand certificates of de-2,132.21 Cashier's checks outstand-20,193.22- 934.957.27

State of Indiana, County of Marion, 88.: I. A. F. KOPP, cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. F. KOPP, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of May, 1894.

FREDERICK BAGGS,

Correct—Attest:

FRED FAHNLEY,

HENRY WEIZEL,

JAMES E ROBERTSON,

Directors.

BANK STATEMENT. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF FLETCH-er's Bank, at Indianapolis, in the State of Indi-ans, at the close of business, May 4, 1894: RESOURCES. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured..... \$2,096,642.94 cal catate.

U. S. b ndson hand ... \$847,500.00 Due from national 218,211.87 and bankers ... 193,026.64 Checks and other cash Exchanges for clear-ing-house. Bills of other banks.... 4,406.69 15,953,95 90.636.60 Legal-tender notes..... 730,000.00- 2,182,546.75 .\$4,284,866.12 LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in.....\$1,000,000.00 Sarpins
Undivided profits
Individual deposits subject to check. \$2,120,279.13
Demand certificates of deposit. 626,198.97
Certificatecks 8,275.09
Cashier's checks outstanding 7,305.92 Due to national banks... Due to State banks and 305,736.41- 3,163,743.58 bankers .... .24,284,866.12 State of Indiana, County of Marion, ss.:

bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. STOUGHTON J FLETCHER. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of May, 1854. JOHN S. TARKINGTON, Notary Public.

I, STOUGHTON J. FLETCHER, of the above-named

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE IN-diana National Bank, at Indianapolis, in the State of Indiana, at the close of business, May 4, RESOURCES. U. S. bonds to secure circulation, 4's... 50,000.00.
U. S. bonds to secure C. S. depesits, 4'2's 150,000.00.
Stocks, securities, etc. (gold bonds).... 33,000.00.
Due from national banks (net reserve agents).... \$46,278.87
Due from State banks and bankers.... 31,066.20 Due from approved reserve 471,715.07 2,792.58 Exchanges for clearing-86,045.60 Notes of other national Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.... 1,405.58 163,000,00

LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ.: urer (5 per cent. of circulation)...... Total ......\$3,815,042,42 LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in ..... \$300,000.00 Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid. National bank notes outstanding..... one to other national \$567,410.16

bankers. Individual deposits sub-279,384.47 1,587,443.09 eposits of U. S. dis-oursing officers..... 81,295.79-2,831,201,19 .\$3,515.042.42 State of Indiana, County of Marion, 88.:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of May, 1894.

RUSSELL KING,

Notary Public. VOLNEY T. MALOTT, Directors.
R. S. MCKEE, REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MER-chants' National Bank of Indianapolis, at In-dianapolis, in the State of Indiana, at the close of

I, EDWARD B. PORTER, cashler of the above-named

EDWARD B. PORTER, Cashier.

bank, do solemnly swear that the above statem is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

business, May 4, 1894: RESOURCES. Loans and discounts (demand loans, \$143,500) cents).
Premium on U. S. bonds.
City of Indianapolis, Marion and other county bonds.
Due from national banks
(not reserve agents)....\$177,794.94
Due from State banks and 235,798.14 Checks and other cash 3,385.29 Exchanges for clearing-27,163.62 Notes of other national 

100,000.00-.\$2,450,218.20 Total ..... LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in.
Surplus fund
Undivided profits, less expenses at 1 \$300,000.00 taxes paid. National bank notes outstanding...... Due to other national Due to State banks and \$230,587.35 21,076.74

102,27-1,838,409,67 .\$2,450,218.20 State of Indiana, County of Marion, ss. I, O. N. FRENZEL, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. N. FRENZEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of FREDERICK BAGGS, Notary Public.

..... 173,288.43

J. P. FRENZEL, JAMES F. FAILEY, PAUL H. KRAUSS,

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CAP-ital National Bank, at Indianapolis, in the State of Indiana, at the close of business, May 4, 1894: RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured..... J. S. bonds to secure circulation ...... 50,000.00 um on U. S. bonds..... Other real estate and mortgages owned Due from National Banks 523.56 (not reserve agents)..... \$21,533.05 Due from State banks and bankers. Due from approved re-102,423,13 6,144.47 Exchanges for clearing-2,562.45 Notes of other national 13,818.00 banks ... Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents...... 234.94 Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.; Specie... Legal-tender notes. tedemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).....

\$733,581.45 LIABILITIES. \$1,996 01 107,145,76 Due to State banks and 59,194,79 bankers Individual deposits subject 168,442.03 posit.... Time certificates of deposit 981.56- 344,990,62 \$733,581.45

State of Indiana, County of Marion, sa: I. M. B. WILSON, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. M. B. WILSON, President. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this Pth day of May, 1894. CHARLES W. MOORES, N. S. BYRAM.
N. F. DALTON.
W. T. BARNES. Directors.



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